

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY LA PAZ

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 5431

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, BL

SUBJ: TRADE ACT: GENERAL SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES

REF: STATE 263383

1. FOR MANY MONTHS EMBASSY SOUGHT TO ENCOURAGE BOLIVIAN GOVERNMENT TO SUBMIT LIST OF PRODUCTS TO BE INCLUDED WITHIN US GSP (SEE REFTEL AND PREVIOUS). URGING PRODUCED NO USEFUL RESULT UNTIL RECENT PUBLICITY GENERATED BY CONTROVERSY OVER RESTRICTIONS OVER TRADE ACT FINALLY FOCUSED OFFICIALS ATTENTION ON POSSIBLE ADVANTAGES OF GSP TO BOLIVIA. CENTRAL BANK'S EXPORT PROMOTION DIVISION (FOMEX), WHICH HAS RECEIVED OAS ASSISTANCE IN IDENTIFYING BOLIVIA'S EXPORT POTENTIAL, TOOK ACTION AND MADE UP LIST OF TWENTY-NINE PRODUCTS. FOMEX OFFICIALS GAVE EMBASSY COPY OF LIST JANUARY 21 WITH INDICATION THAT OTHER INTERESTED OFFICES OF BOLIVIAN GOVERNMENT LIKELY APPROVE LIST AS DRAFTED AND FON. OFFICE WILL OFFICIALLY SEND LIST TO EMBASSY IN NEXT WEEK.

2. EMBASSY WARNED FOMEX OFFICIALS THAT PROPOSAL FOR GSP ALREADY BEING PREPARED IN WASHINGTON AND WE COULD NOT UNCLASSIFIED

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GUARANTEE THAT AT THIS LATE DATE BOLIVIAN SUBMISSION WOULD

HAVE MUCH EFFECT. NONETHELESS, WE PROMISED FORWARD FOMEX  
DRAFT NOW AND OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT VERSION, WHEN WE RECEIVE IT.

3. FOLLOWING IS FOMEX DRAFT PRODUCT LIST ACCORDING TO  
DESCENDING PRIORITY:

TSUS NO.	NABALALC	PRODUCT
153.2400	20.05.2.01	JELLIES & MARMELADES OF PINAPPLE
153.0000	20.05.2.01	JELLIES & MARMELADES OF MANGO, MAMEY, AND PAPAYA
153.1600	20.05.2.01	JELLIES & MARMELADES OF CITRUS FRUITS
162.74	20.05.3.99	PUREES & PASTES OF PINAPPLE
152.74	20.6.2.99	OTHER PRESEVES OF SWEET FRUITS
165.35	20.07.1.03	CONCENTRATES ORANGE JUICE
165.30	20.07.1.03	NON-CONCENTRATED ORANGE JUICE
141.7900	21.07.0.03	PALMITO, PREPARED OR PRESERVED IN ANY CONTAINER
167.30	22.05-1.11	WINES. ALCOHOL CONTENT 14 PERCENT PER VOL. CONTAINERS NOT LONGER THAN 1 GAL.
167.3200	22.05.1.11	WINES. ALCOHOL CONTENT 14 PERCENT PER VOL. CONTAINERS FOR MORE THAN 1 GAL.
202.6000	44.13.2.01	PARQUET (MOSAIC) NON-ELLABORATED
336.50	53.11.0.01	WOOL KNITTINGS. (VALUE NO MORE THAN \$1.26 - 2/3 PER LB.L
336.55	53.11.0.01	WOOL KNITTINGS. VALUE MORE THAN \$1.26-2/3 NOT OVER \$ 2.
339.05	53.11.0PW	ALL OTHER KNITTINGS OF FINE HAIR. EXCEPTING VICUNA WOOL OVER 17 PERCENT WEIGHT.
320.80 TO		
320.98	55.07.0.01	OTHER UNBLEACHED OR NON MERCERIZED COTTON KNITTINGS OF NO. 80 UP TO 200 OR MORE
332.40	55.09.0.01	OTHER UNBLEACHED NON-MERCERIZED COTTON KNITTINGS
332.10	62.01.9.01	WOOLEN MANTAS OR PONCHOS
363.75	62.01.0.99	ALL OTHER MANTAS OR PONCHOS OF FINE HAIR (EXCEPT VICUNA)
613.0400	74.07.0.01	COPPER TUBES - DIAMETER UP TO 100 ...
613.0400	74.07.0.99	ALL OTHER COPPER TUBES NEIGHER BENT

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622.3300	80.02.3.01	TIN WIRE
622.4000	80.05.0.01	TIN TUBES
622.2500	80.05.0.01	TIN BARS
622.4000	80.05.0.02	ACCESSORIES FOR TIN TUBES
417.5400	81.04.4.04	MANUFACTURES OF ANTIMONY COMPOUNDS
534.9700		PEWTER MANUFACTURES (TABLE SERVICE)
740.0500		PEWTER MANUFACTURES (JEWELRY)

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